

**UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT
NORTHERN DISTRICT OF ILLINOIS
Consent to Exercise of Jurisdiction
By a United States Magistrate Judge**

Case Title
KENNETH C. FLETCHER, SR.

Case Number: 08 CV 00330

Assigned Judge: VIRGINIA KENDALL

V.
WERNER CO. AND MENARD, INC.

Designated
Magistrate Judge: *Mason*

In accordance with the provisions of Title 28 U.S.C. §636(c), the undersigned party or parties to the above-captioned civil matter hereby voluntarily consent to have a United States Magistrate Judge conduct any and all further proceedings in this case, including trial, and order the entry of a final judgment. Should this case be reassigned to a magistrate judge other than the magistrate judge designated pursuant to Local Rule 72, the undersigned may object within 30 days of such reassignment. If an objection is filed by any party, the case will be reassigned to the district judge before whom it was last pending.

<u>3/26/08</u> Date	By: <u><i>Thomas M. Mason</i></u> Signature	<u>KENNETH C. FLETCHER, SR.</u> Name of Party or Parties
<u>3/26/08</u> Date	By: <u><i>[Signature]</i></u> Signature	<u>Werner Co. and Menard, Inc.</u> Name of Party or Parties
_____ Date	By: _____ Signature	_____ Name of Party or Parties
_____ Date	By: _____ Signature	_____ Name of Party or Parties

Note: File this consent **only** if all parties have consented on this form to the exercise of jurisdiction by a United States magistrate judge.

PROOF OF SERVICE

I, Stephen S. Weiss, an attorney, certify that this Consent to Exercise of Jurisdiction by a United States Magistrate Judge was served on the parties of record via the U.S. District Court's CM/ECF filing system on March 26, 2008.

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